
From: LOWRY, KIM M (b)(6); (b)(7)(C)
administrative group
To: (b)(6); (b)(7)(C)
LADOWICZ, JOHN P (b)(6); (b)(7)(C)
Cc:
Bcc:
Subject: RE: CBP issue - email #2
Date: Mon Jul 23 2018 14:01:29 EDT
Attachments:

thanks

From: LADOWICZ, JOHN P
Sent: Monday, July 23, 2018 1:47 PM
To: LOWRY, KIM M (b)(6); (b)(7)(C)
Subject: RE: CBP issue - email #2

I was just going to tell you that I'm no longer going to take an active role in this process. You've got it.

Pete Ladowicz
Assistant Commissioner
Office of Congressional Affairs
U.S. Customs and Border Protection

(b)(6); (b)(7)(C)(phone)
(b)(6); (b)(7)(C)(mobile)

From: LOWRY, KIM M
Sent: Monday, July 23, 2018 1:45 PM
To: LADOWICZ, JOHN P (b)(6); (b)(7)(C) >
Subject: RE: CBP issue - email #2

Hi Pete,

I am working with the approps team on these requests. I think it may be confusing when you send emails too.

Thanks

Kim

From: LADOWICZ, JOHN P
Sent: Monday, July 23, 2018 1:41 PM

To: (b)(6); (b)(7)(C)
(b)(6); (b)(7)(C)

Cc: LOWRY, KIM M (b)(6); (b)(7)(C)
Subject: FW: CBP issue - email #2

Pete Ladowicz

Assistant Commissioner

Office of Congressional Affairs

U.S. Customs and Border Protection

(b)(6); (b)(7)(C) (phone)

(mobile)

From: (b) (6) @mail.house.gov]

Sent: Monday, July 23, 2018 1:09 PM

To: Blume, Allen (b) (6)

LADOWICZ, JOHN P (b)(6); (b)(7)(C) LOWRY, KIM M (b)(6); (b)(7)(C)

(b)(6); (b)(7)(C)

Subject: RE: CBP issue - email #2

And another....

(b) (5)

(b) (5)

From: Blume, Allen [mailto:(b) (6)]
Sent: Monday, July 23, 2018 1:08 PM
To: (b) (6) @mail.house.gov; (b) (6)
LADOWICZ, JOHN P (b)(6); (b)(7)(C); LOWRY, KIM M (b)(6); (b)(7)(C)
(b)(6); (b)(7)(C)
Subject: RE: CBP issue

Received.

From: (b) (6) @mail.house.gov]
Sent: Monday, July 23, 2018 12:56 PM
To: Blume, Allen (b) (6)
LADOWICZ, JOHN P (b)(6); (b)(7)(C); LOWRY, KIM M (b)(6); (b)(7)(C)
(b)(6); (b)(7)(C)
Subject: CBP issue

What's the impact to the wall for the following?

- Block any Funding for border wall/fence construction that would require taking physical possession of a condemned property until the landowner is compensated and the legal proceeding is concluded.
- Prohibit the construction of a border wall/fence that would cede water or land resources to Mexico
- Prohibit the construction of a border wall/fence that would leave American citizens or their property on the Mexican side
- Eminent Domain Legal Defense Fund for Property Owners

From: LOWRY, KIM M (b)(6); (b)(7)(C)
To: (b)(6); (b)(7)(C)
Cc:
Bcc:
Subject: RE: Senate HSGAC Fence Contracts Briefing Request (UNCLASSIFIED)
Date: Tue Jun 05 2018 11:19:49 EDT
Attachments:

Thank you

From: (b)(6); (b)(7)(C)
Sent: Tuesday, June 05, 2018 10:53:08 AM
To: (b)(6); (b)(7)(C) LOWRY, KIM M; LADOWICZ, JOHN P; (b)(6); (b)(7)(C)
Cc: (b)(6); (b)(7)(C)
Subject: FW: Senate HSGAC Fence Contracts Briefing Request (UNCLASSIFIED)

All - See below.

From: (b)(6); (b)(7)(C)
Sent: Tuesday, June 05, 2018 3:40:57 PM
To: (b)(6); (b)(7)(C) (b) (6)
Subject: FW: Senate HSGAC Fence Contracts Briefing Request (UNCLASSIFIED)

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(b)(6); (b)(7)(C)

-----Original Message-----

From: (b) (6)
Sent: Tuesday, June 05, 2018 9:20 AM
To: (b)(6); (b)(7)(C)
Cc: (b) (6)
Subject: FW: Senate HSGAC Fence Contracts Briefing Request (UNCLASSIFIED)

CLASSIFICATION: UNCLASSIFIED

Heads-up on potential in-bound questions on real estate acquisition from the Senate HSGAC.

Maybe you want to shape the inquiry with their oversight committee membership in advance.

-----Original Message-----

From (b) (6) @hsgac.senate.gov]

Sent: Monday, June 4, 2018 2:56 PM

To:

Cc: (b) (6)

Subject: [Non-DoD Source] RE: Fence Contracts Briefing Request

Hi (b) (6)

(b) (6) here with Senate HSGAC Minority.

My boss is interested in sending a letter to CBP Commissioner Kevin McAleenan this week regarding land acquisition along the southern border. The letter references the list of border-wall-related contracts you previously provided as well as this Sources Sought announcement that was posted to FedBizOpps on April 18:

Blocked[https://www.fbo.gov/index?](https://www.fbo.gov/index?s=opportunity&mode=form&id=d693021279f1370d86916a7d5e550287&tab=core&_cview=0)

[s=opportunity&mode=form&id=d693021279f1370d86916a7d5e550287&tab=core&_cview=0](https://www.fbo.gov/index?s=opportunity&mode=form&id=d693021279f1370d86916a7d5e550287&tab=core&_cview=0)

While Commissioner McAleenan will likely be the main addressee, Lt. Gen. Semonite is also CC'd.

I wanted to 1) make you aware that this letter is likely headed your way, and 2) check to see who the appropriate contact is to receive the letter on Lt. Gen. Semonite's behalf. I'm assuming the letter should go to you (b) (6)

Thanks in advance for your help.

(b) (6)

CLASSIFICATION: UNCLASSIFIED

From: LADOWICZ, JOHN P (b)(6);(b)(7)(C)

To: LOWRY, KIM M (b)(6); (b)(7)(C)
(b)(6); (b)(7)(C)

Cc:

Bcc:

Subject: RE: briefings next week

Date: Mon Apr 30 2018 10:13:16 EDT

Attachments:

FYSA, both (b)(6); (b)(7)(C) are on travel this week. At a minimum, once I get the all clear from Karl, we should aim to get this scheduled this week for early (Monday) next week.

From: LOWRY, KIM M
Sent: Monday, April 30, 2018 8:26:39 AM
To: LADOWICZ, JOHN P
Subject: FW: briefings next week

Pete

Are we able to do the wall briefing on Friday? If not can we do a call with (b)(6) and others to give them initial info?

Thanks

Kim

From: (b)(6)
Sent: Monday, April 30, 2018 8:07:53 AM
To: LOWRY, KIM M
Subject: Re: briefings next week

Kim, circling back on getting the wall brief. What are you guys thinking right now? Also, I sent a bunch of member items maybe two weeks ago....can today check in on them?

Thanks, (b)(6)

On Apr 23, 2018, at 3:09 PM, LOWRY, KIM M (b)(6); (b)(7)(C)

Sounds good.

From: (b) (6) @mail.house.gov>
Sent: Monday, April 23, 2018 3:09 PM
To: LOWRY, KIM M (b)(6); (b)(7)(C)
Cc: (b) (6) @appro.senate.gov>; (b) (6) @appro.senate.gov>; (b) (6) @mail.house.gov>; (b)(6); (b)(7)(C)
Subject: Re: briefings next week

I like that better will will defer to (b) (6) ..but 30-45 minutes would work if needed.

On Apr 23, 2018, at 15:07, LOWRY, KIM M (b)(6); (b)(7)(C)

Okay, how about 10-12 for BP and if we end at 11 that gives you more time between briefings. We will do the OFO briefing from 1-3 pm.

From: (b) (6) @mail.house.gov>
Sent: Monday, April 23, 2018 2:54 PM
To: LOWRY, KIM M (b)(6); (b)(7)(C)
Cc: (b) (6) @appro.senate.gov>; (b) (6) @appro.senate.gov>; (b) (6) @mail.house.gov>; (b)(6); (b)(7)(C)
Subject: RE: briefings next week

And lets not do an 11-3 straight through...you will not want to be around me if I become hangry....

Do we think we need two hours for OFO and BP (knowing we are not doing the wall til the 4th)

From: LOWRY, KIM M (b)(6); (b)(7)(C)
Sent: Monday, April 23, 2018 2:47 PM
To: (b) (6) @mail.house.gov>
Cc: (b) (6) @appro.senate.gov>; (b) (6) @appro.senate.gov>; (b) (6) @mail.house.gov>; (b)(6); (b)(7)(C)
Subject: RE: briefings next week

Will do!

From: (b) (6) @mail.house.gov>
Sent: Monday, April 23, 2018 2:41 PM
To: LOWRY, KIM M (b)(6); (b)(7)(C)

Cc: (b) (6) @appro.senate.gov>; (b) (6) @appro.senate.gov>; (b) (6) @mail.house.gov>; (b)(6); (b)(7)(C)
(b)(6); (b)(7)(C)
Subject: Re: briefings next week

Let just send the slides for the migration update Unless there is a big jump or something that needs to be explained....saves us 45 minutes.

On Apr 23, 2018, at 14:27, LOWRY, KIM M (b)(6); (b)(7)(C)

Perfect. Thanks (b) (6)

(b) (6)

We will plan to start at 10 am on the Hill on May 2nd with a migration update followed with BP and OFO acquisition briefings.

10:00-10:45 am Migration Update

11:00 – 1:00 USBP

1:00-3:00 OFO

Thanks!

Kim

From: (b) (6) @appro.senate.gov>
Sent: Monday, April 23, 2018 2:22 PM
To: LOWRY, KIM M (b)(6); (b)(7)(C) (b) (6) @appro.senate.gov>; (b) (6) @mail.house.gov>
Cc: (b) (6) @mail.house.gov>; (b)(6); (b)(7)(C)
(b)(6); (b)(7)(C)
Subject: RE: briefings next week

I don't want to interrupt these good plans – and I understand the timing HAC faces – but I have rather limited “in office” time next week. So I will plan on attending Thurs AM thru AMO, but won't be in on Wed.

Thanks

(I can get any slides and/or PB can fill me in)

From: LOWRY, KIM M (b)(6); (b)(7)(C)
Sent: Monday, April 23, 2018 2:12 PM
To: (b) (6) @appro.senate.gov; (b) (6) @mail.house.gov>
Cc: (b) (6) @mail.house.gov; (b) (6) @appro.senate.gov; (b)(6); (b)(7)(C)
Subject: RE: briefings next week

Hi All,

I have worked through a few scenarios over here for briefings next week. I realized that we need more than 5 hours. I know everyone has limited time and understand. Here is what I propose we start with as a strawman and appreciate feedback!

Thursday, May 3rd

Location: RRB

10 - 11:15am - IC Briefing and Office of Intelligence Budget Briefing

11:15 – 11:30 am -- Break

11:30 – 12:30 – User Fee Briefing

12:30 – 12:45 pm – Break for food for working lunch (we can order sandwiches from the corner bakery and have it there in the room, we can collect money if that works....or if you would prefer to bring your own, just let me know)

12:45 – 2:15 pm – AMO Acquisition (included an hour and a half here b/c last year's briefing went over an hour)

2:30 – 3:45 pm – NTC Budget and NVC Update

3:45 – 4:30 pm – Office of Trade – ACE Acquisition and Forced Labor (let me know if we could move the forced labor to a different date)

What we haven't covered above is the following:

- BP Acquisition (2 hours)
- OFO Acquisition & Staffing of the 328 CBPOs in FY 19 (if we have the details by this date for the staffing) (2 hours)
- Weekly Migration Update (45 minutes)

If you have time on May 2nd, I can make these briefings work either at the RRB or on the Hill.

We are also checking on doing a wall update briefing on May 4th. I would allot 2 hours for this.

Let me know what works and what doesn't work. I am holding time on people's calendars and still checking on a couple others. We will make this happen.

Kim

From: (b) (6) @appro.senate.gov>
Sent: Monday, April 23, 2018 12:21 PM
To: LOWRY, KIM M (b)(6); (b)(7)(C) (b) (6) @mail.house.gov>
Cc: (b) (6) @mail.house.gov>; (b) (6) @appro.senate.gov>
Subject: RE: briefings next week

Adding (b) (6) as he'll participate.

I definitely don't want to hijack but if there are options to target earlier in these days, I'd appreciate it as my wife's out of town and I have some major logistical hoops that week.

From: LOWRY, KIM M (b)(6); (b)(7)(C)
Sent: Monday, April 23, 2018 11:58 AM
To: (b) (6) @mail.house.gov>
Cc: (b) (6) @appro.senate.gov>; (b) (6) @mail.house.gov>
Subject: RE: briefings next week

Great!

From: (b) (6) @mail.house.gov>
Sent: Monday, April 23, 2018 11:46 AM
To: LOWRY, KIM M (b)(6); (b)(7)(C)
Cc: (b) (6) @appro.senate.gov>; (b) (6) @mail.house.gov>
Subject: Re: briefings next week

That works for me. Adding (b) (6) ...

Thanks for getting this together.

(b) (6)

On Apr 23, 2018, at 11:39, LOWRY, KIM M (b)(6); (b)(7)(C)

(b) (6)

I have the wheels in motion for a four hour timeframe either Weds. Or Thursday of next week for the following briefings:

1. IC (I just spoke with the fo)
2. OI budget
3. NTC/NVC
4. Fees
5. Acquisition

I am going to also see if (b) (6) have time to meet and talk about AMO/BP way forward (and if you have another hour for a total of 5 hours, I will see if we could do the air and marine hours for you at that time)

Let me know if you could do 5 hours at the RRB. I will confirm all of the moving pieces today.

Thanks

Kim

From: LOWRY, KIM M (b)(6); (b)(7)(C)

To:

(b)(6); (b)(7)(C)

Cc:

Bcc:

Subject: RE: RGV Rights of Entry for Survey

Date: Mon Apr 16 2018 18:14:50 EDT

Attachments:

Thank you. Have we had any staff ask questions?

From: (b)(6); (b)(7)(C)

Sent: Monday, April 16, 2018 6:13:08 PM

To: LOWRY, KIM M

Subject: FW: RGV Rights of Entry for Survey

FYI - Here's the notification I forgot to include.

(b)(6); (b)(7)(C)

From: (b)(6); (b)(7)(C)

Sent: Monday, April 16, 2018 10:15:17 AM

Cc: (b)(6) (b)(6) (b)(6) (HSGAC); (b)(6) (HSGAC); (b)(6)

(b)(6) (HSGAC); (b)(6) @hsgac.senate.gov; (b)(6) @cornyn.senate.gov;

(b)(6) @cruz.senate.gov; (b)(6) @mail.house.gov; (b)(6) @mail.house.gov; (b)(6)

(b)(6) @mail.house.gov

Subject: RGV Rights of Entry for Survey

Good morning all,

Please see below for information on the latest step in the real estate acquisition process in RGV as we begin executing FY 2018 funding.

CBP, in coordination with the U.S. Army Corp of Engineers (USACE), will immediately begin reaching

out to landowners in the Rio Grande Valley Sector area of responsibility for Rights of Entry for Survey (ROE-S) to begin the real estate, environmental, and design processes for the border infrastructure projects funded in CBP's Fiscal Year 2018 appropriation. This outreach will begin in Hidalgo County, with Starr County to follow in the near future.

CBP is specifically requesting a ROE-S that will authorize entry upon landowners' property to conduct environmental assessments, property surveys, appraisals and any other such work which may be necessary and incidental to the Government's assessment of the property for possible future acquisition. This due diligence is necessary prior to acquiring property for construction and future maintenance and repair of border barrier and other supporting infrastructure such as roads, gates, lighting, and technology.

In an effort to keep the local officials and other stakeholders updated on these planning activities, RGV Sector will work with CBP's Office of Public Affairs to issue a press release or statement regarding this outreach. Additional and ongoing coordination with local officials and stakeholders in Hidalgo and Starr County will continue through the entire project.

Please let us know if you have any questions.

V/r,

(b)(6); (b)(7)(C)

Office of Congressional Affairs

U.S. Customs and Border Protection, DHS

From: LOWRY, KIM M (b)(6); (b)(7)(C)
(b)(6); (b)(7)(C)
To: (b)(6)
(b)(6)@mail.house.gov>
Cc: (b)(6); (b)(7)(C)
Bcc:
Subject: Troops on the border
Date: Fri Apr 06 2018 11:03:02 EDT
Attachments:

Hi (b)(6)

Hopefully, you were able to participate on the DHS congressional call the other day. If not, here are the links to the White House fact sheets.....Let me know if you have any follow up questions. Take care,
Kim

<https://www.whitehouse.gov/presidential-actions/presidential-memorandum-secretary-defense-attorney-general-secretary-homeland-security/> and <https://www.whitehouse.gov/briefings-statements/need-know-presidents-authorization-national-guard-deploy-southern-border/>

From: (b)(6)@mail.house.gov]
Sent: Tuesday, April 3, 2018 1:42 PM
To: LOWRY, KIM M (b)(6); (b)(7)(C)
Subject: FW: Troops on the border
Importance: High

Hi, Kim.

Can you please help me with this request? I understand Pete is out of the office.

Thanks,

(b)(6)

From: (b) (6) @mail.house.gov>
Date: Tuesday, April 3, 2018 at 1:36 PM
To: Pete Ladowicz (b)(6); (b)(7)(C)
Subject: Troops on the border

Hi, Pete.

I understand the President announced he is sending U.S. military forces to our southern border "until the wall is built." Can you please send me more information about this development?

Thank you,

(b) (6)

Subcommittee Director | Border and Maritime Security

Committee on Homeland Security | U.S. House of Representatives

Rep. Bennie G. Thompson (D-MS) | Ranking Member

(b) (6) Ford House Office Building

Washington, DC 20515

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(b) (6) @HomelandDems

From: LADOWICZ, JOHN P (b)(6);(b)(7)(C)
[REDACTED]
To: FLANAGAN, PATRICK S (b)(6);(b)(7)(C)
[REDACTED]
Cc:
Bcc:
Subject: FW: Meeting or Call w/Acting Commissioner Kevin McAleenan
Date: Mon Mar 12 2018 15:49:18 EDT
Attachments: image001.png
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Patrick and (b)(6);(b)(7)(C)

FYSA on the below request from Udall. I know C1 is scheduled to be on leave Thursday afternoon and Friday, so we can with aim for Monday or offer a phone call (based on how he wants to proceed).

Am working on getting specific topics but the NM delegation has been vocal of late in their displeasure with DHS using already appropriated FY17 funds to replace vehicle barrier with pedestrian barrier.

VR
Pete

From: (b)(6) (Tom Udall)
Sent: Monday, March 12, 2018 3:30:28 PM
To: LADOWICZ, JOHN P
Subject: Meeting or Call w/Acting Commissioner Kevin McAleenan

Hi Pete,

I'm hoping you're the correct person to reach out to with this request. Senator Udall would appreciate the opportunity to meeting or speak with Acting Commissioner McAleenan in relation to his upcoming nomination vote in the Senate. Would he be available at 3pm this Thursday, March 15th? Alternatively, the senator has a few blocks of time Friday, March 16th and Monday, March 19th.

Thank you in advance for your assistance.

Best,

(b) (6)

Office of Senator Tom Udall (NM)

(b) (6)

Connect with Tom at tomudall.senate.gov

***To schedule a meeting or to invite Senator Udall to an event, please submit all requests via our website.

From: [REDACTED] (b)(6);(b)(7)(C)
[REDACTED]
[REDACTED]
To: LADOWICZ, JOHN P (b)(6);(b)(7)(C)
[REDACTED]
[REDACTED]
Cc: LOWRY, KIM M (b)(6);(b)(7)(C)
[REDACTED]
[REDACTED]
Bcc:
Subject: FW: CBP Tracking 2.0 assignment - Folder 2018-COR-00112
Date: Fri Mar 09 2018 15:16:51 EST
Attachments: Attachement_Amendments to 8 U.S.C. 1103(b).docx
CBP Investment Strategy.pdf
IIRIRA 102 Amendment.docx
Incoming McCaskill.pdf
Sen. McCaskill response.docx

Pete - Please reference the below email chain and attachments, which I also sent to you via a separate email chain yesterday.

My understand here is that the McCaskill letter was originally sent to OCC for a response. Attached was their initial response. [REDACTED] (b) (5)

While [REDACTED] (b)(6);(b)(7)(C) was sent these proposals last month, I do not know if she took the time to read them.

While these proposals were blessed by OCC, I do not know if anyone else in CBP reviewed and approved them.

I can look into this further when I'm back in the office on Monday.

[REDACTED] (b)(6);(b)(7)(C)

From: LOWRY, KIM M
Sent: Thursday, February 15, 2018 11:50:13 AM
To: [REDACTED] (b)(6);(b)(7)(C)
Subject: FW: CBP Tracking 2.0 assignment - Folder 2018-COR-00112

[REDACTED] (b)(6);(b)(7)(C)

This is the info I am looking at today.....

Kim

From: (b)(6);(b)(7)(C)

Sent: Thursday, February 8, 2018 9:21 AM

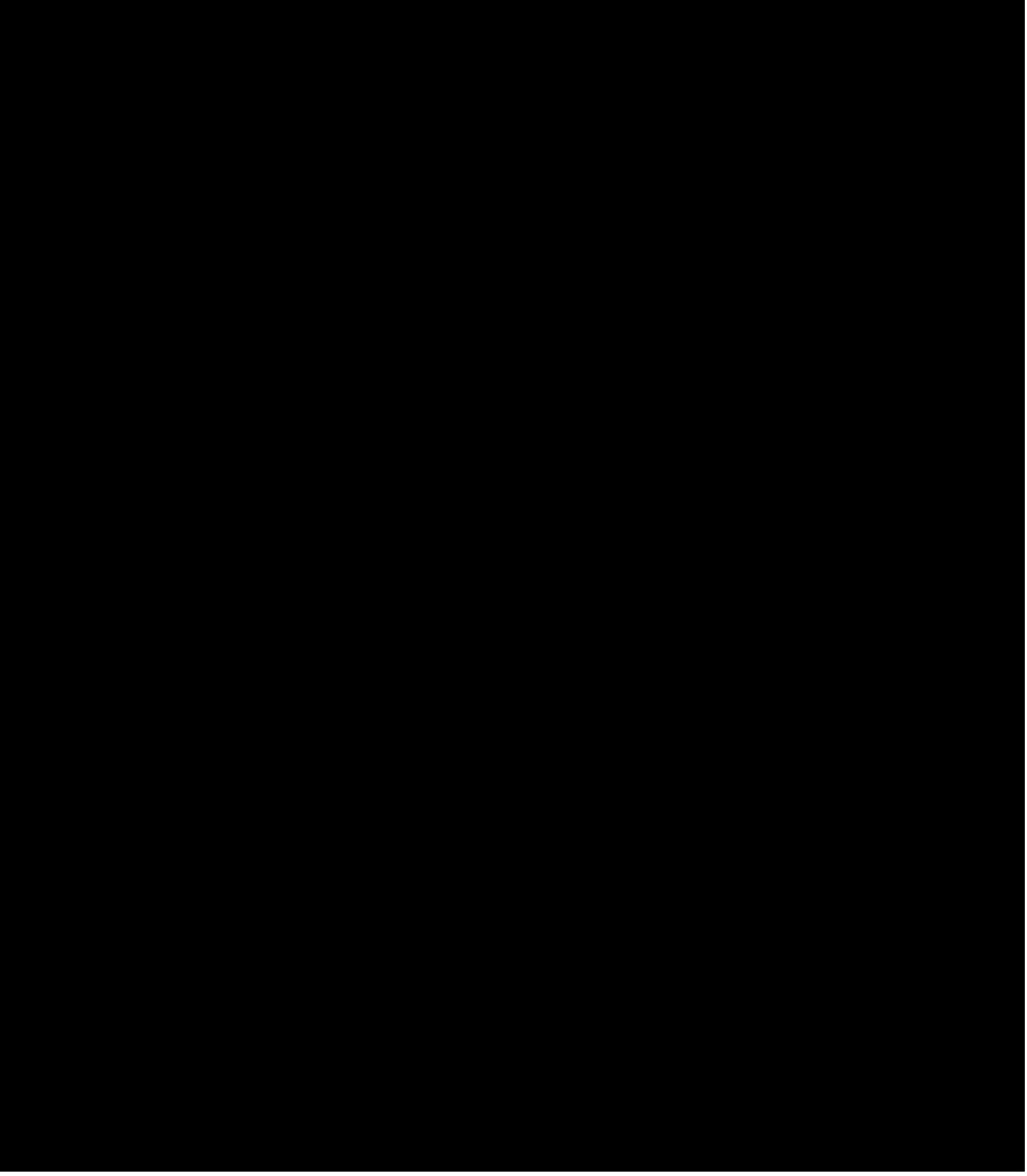
To: LOWRY, KIM M (b)(6);(b)(7)(C)

Cc: (b)(6);(b)(7)(C)

Subject: FW: CBP Tracking 2.0 assignment - Folder 2018-COR-00112

(b) (5), (b)(6);(b)(7)(C)

(b) (5), (b)(6);(b)(7)(C)



(b) (5)

(b) (5), (b)(6);(b)(7)(C)



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To: (b) (6)
@appro.senate.gov> (b)(6);(b)(7)(C)

Cc:
Bcc:
Subject: RE: land acquisition follow up
Date: Wed Mar 07 2018 16:58:45 EST
Attachments:

I did send it to (b) (6) through tech assistance in December via track changes.

From: (b) (6) @appro.senate.gov]
Sent: Wednesday, March 7, 2018 4:53 PM
To: LOWRY, KIM M (b)(6);(b)(7)(C)
Subject: RE: land acquisition follow up

Thanks for letting me know. This must be what our four corners members have been discussing last week. Any color on that would be welcome? If sent to (b) (6), I can ask him for it.

From: LOWRY, KIM M [mailto:(b)(6);(b)(7)(C)]
Sent: Wednesday, March 7, 2018 4:50 PM
To: (b) (6) @appro.senate.gov> (b)(6);(b)(7)(C)
Subject: RE: land acquisition follow up

Hi (b) (6)

We provided technical assistance to the border security bill on the House side. We didn't have a formal proposal that was transmitted.

Kim

From: (b) (6) @appro.senate.gov]
Sent: Wednesday, March 7, 2018 4:40 PM
To: (b)(6);(b)(7)(C)
Cc: LOWRY, KIM M (b)(6);(b)(7)(C)
Subject: RE: land acquisition follow up

Thank you. Anything on paper you could share?

From: (b)(6);(b)(7)(C)
Sent: Wednesday, March 7, 2018 2:53 PM
To: (b) (6) @appro.senate.gov>
Cc: LOWRY, KIM M <(b)(6);(b)(7)(C)>
Subject: land acquisition follow up

Hi (b) (6),

I connected with Kim about your question and she has some background/context she can walk you through. Let us know when you'd be free to connect by phone.

(b)(6);(b)(7)(C)

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Desk: (b)(6);(b)(7)(C)

Cell: (b)(6);(b)(7)(C)

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From: LOWRY, KIM M (b)(6);(b)(7)(C)

To: (b)(6);(b)(7)(C)

Cc:

Bcc:

Subject: RE: land acquisition follow up

Date: Wed Mar 07 2018 16:22:30 EST

Attachments:

Thanks, (b)(6);(b)(7)(C)

From: (b)(6);(b)(7)(C)

Sent: Wednesday, March 7, 2018 2:53 PM

To: (b)(6) @appro.senate.gov>

Cc: LOWRY, KIM M (b)(6);(b)(7)(C)

Subject: land acquisition follow up

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(b)(6);(b)(7)(C)

From: LOWRY, KIM M (b)(6);(b)(7)(C)
[REDACTED]
To: (b) (6) @mail.house.gov>
Cc:
Bcc:
Subject: RE: CBP Weekly Update 02-02-2018
Date: Tue Mar 06 2018 09:15:42 EST
Attachments:

(b) (6)

I hope you are well....When you have time, I would like to revisit the weekly tracker. I told (b)(6);(b)(7)(C) that she didn't have to send last Friday b/c I want to check in with you. Separately, do you need me to follow up with (b) (6) re EVUS?

Thanks!

Kim

From: (b) (6) @mail.house.gov]
Sent: Tuesday, February 6, 2018 1:24 PM
To: LOWRY, KIM M (b)(6);(b)(7)(C)
Cc: (b) (6) @mail.house.gov>
Subject: FW: CBP Weekly Update 02-02-2018

Kim, you said to send you an email on ones that we truly need to be shaken lose. Can you please shake lose the drug data? I sent a spreadsheet using CBP source data and asked for you guys to make the measurements the same since OFO and BP using lb, oz and kg at different times. That should have been a one day turn around...its been three weeks. Also, the source data for OFO had a new category for "other" which I asked for a clarification since I hadn't seen that category before. Again, three weeks seems extreme to get the info back. We would like it by CBP tomorrow.

Our members use this data (and so should CBP leadership) and I am just puzzled that it appears to be such a heavy lift for CBP.

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Subject: RE: CBP Weekly Update 02-02-2018

Thanks. WRT to the call, there is a brief that is done daily that (b)(6);(b)(7)(C) offered to share with us that has additional information. That or some version would be helpful. On the numbers, its been three weeks....I want the information soonest...I still find it unbelievable that CBP doesn't track this except in stovepipes. On the contract, I don't know what to say...other than if we move and we don't not have sufficient info, CBP has no one to blame but themselves for being unable to explain a contract.

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Subject: RE: CBP Weekly Update 02-02-2018

Hi (b) (6),

On your first point, we're working to get you the January migration data which is currently being finalized. We're happy to provide briefers to walk you through that data via telecon as we did with the last data set. We will be in touch shortly regarding scheduling.

We are continuing to work daily on validating the drug numbers. (b)(6);(b)(7)(C) is leading that effort and has taken a close look at the various data sources used to build the table you provided and ensure those FYs and the new FYs to be added are accurately presented and aligned. (b)(6);(b)(7)(C) is unfortunately out sick today but she can definitely give you an update when she returns.

We are planning to incorporate both the T&E and the hiring contract information in the forthcoming FY19 rollout process, in which we expect to provide several deep-dive briefs on key issues as we've done in years past. Specifically to your comment on the hiring contract, we understand that you need this information both for your consideration of the FY18 TA and the FY19 PB and have been very clear internally that the TA in particular hinges on providing more information about the contract. We're staying closely engaged with the folks working the contract transition to ensure we're targeting the earliest possible time frame to return with additional information.

Please let us know if you have any further questions,

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Subject: RE: CBP Weekly Update 02-02-2018

I think there are a few other items:

From the call we had about ports and apprehension....I know that we were promised updates on apprehensions similar to what we used to receive.

From the BSIP, results and videos of testing.

Also, can you please free up the drug data. All that required was recomputing some numbers and explaining the Other category...but it has now been three weeks. Please send today or someone call and explain.

WRT to the get back on the hiring brief, I cannot support ANY increase if you guys cant find a way to brief us on this contract. Someone needs to talk to whoever is the problem and explain that there will be no increase without further discussion.

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Subject: CBP Weekly Update 02-02-2018

Good Afternoon, All –

As discussed, below please find the CBP weekly update for requests OCA's Approps Team is currently

tracking. If any priorities have shifted and items are no longer needed or a priority, please let us know.

CBP Weekly Update 02-02-2018

Note that OCA is tracking an additional 19 pending actions in the below categories in which the requestor did not include 4 corners. Those requests are not included in this update. Out of consideration for majority/minority and House/Senate equities, please advise in future requests if CBP's response should be shared with 4 corners or considered close hold.

Completed this week:

- 1/25: conference call on OFO electronic media searches
- Four non-4 corners RFIs
- Additional FY 2018 report language technical assistance provided
- BSIP briefing get back STOP Act TA / advanced data on consignment labels provided

Pending Actions:

Briefings

Topic/Description

Requestor / Due to

Request Date

Status

User Fee Deep Dive

HAC (b) (6) / 4 Corners

12/14/17

Internal meeting held with OCA/OF; preparing presentation; targeting mid-February delivery

BP Modeling and Simulation - (b)(6);(b)(7)(C) offered during metrics brief

HAC (b) (6) / 4 Corners

1/25/18

OCA to set internal coordination meeting before scheduling

OFO Disposition Follow up Call (from encounter process flow brief)

HAC ((b) (6)) / HAC majority and minority

1/20/18

Working schedules after proposed date of 2/2 had conflicts; targeting week of 2/12

HAC FY19 Budget Brief

HAC / HAC

1/24/18

Scheduled; materials being prepared

SAC FY19 Budget Brief

SAC / SAC

1/31/18

Scheduled; materials being prepared

RFI

Topic/Description

Requestor / Due to

Request Date

Status

Punch list breakout

SAC ((b) (6)) / 4 corners

1/9/18

CBP Drafting / DHS review underway; targeting week of 2/5

HAC Majority Follow up to Drug and Currency request - requested additional information and in format staff had created

HAC ((b) (6)) / 4 corners

1/17/18

OCA reviewing HAC template and syncing data sources

MER/Spend Plan reconciliation

HAC (b) (6) / 4 corners

1/30/18

OCA coordinating with OF to cross-check MER and spend plan

Get Backs

Topic/Description

Requestor / Due to

Request Date

Status

HAC/SAC BSIP meeting Get back - Provide background on STOP Act TA / advanced data on consignment labels C1 mentioned

SAC (b) (6) / 4 corners

1/17/18

Response transmitted via email 2/2

HAC/SAC Hiring/Pay Meeting get back – additional information on Hiring contract

4 corners / 4 corners

1/4/18

OCA monitoring progress of contract transition period for earliest possible briefing; targeting late February/early March following scheduled budget rollout briefs

Technical Assistance

Topic/Description

Requestor / Due to

Request Date

Status

Brownfield funding level

HAC (b) (6) / 4 corners

12/11/17

OCA received additional justification information from OFAM/BP 2/1; under review

Road Construction funding level

HAC (b) (6) / 4 corners

12/11/17

Draft response pending review for transmittal as of 2/1

AMO/BP working group update

HAC (b) (6) / 4 corners

12/11/17

OCA engaging with working group leadership

Wall funding period of availability bill language

HAC (b) (6) / 4 corners

12/11/17

Response transmitted via email 2/2

90 percent design report language

HAC (b) (6) / 4 corners

12/11/17

Response transmitted via email 2/2

Thank you,

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Subject: RE: CBP Production
Date: Tue Feb 13 2018 13:32:09 EST
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Thanks (b)(6); (b)(7)(C) For reference, the entirety of questions that we posed to (b) (6) in light of the Senator's call with the Secretary are below. (b) (5)

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Subject: RE: CBP Production

(b) (6) – Thanks for your note. Regarding bullet 2, wanted to confirm that I am still running down the information requested by (b) (6) in response to the call that took place Wednesday evening of last week (email is attached). I hope to have additional information regarding the attached request later this week / early next week. Should you have any questions, please let me know.

Thanks,

(b)(6);(b)(7)(C)

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Subject: CBP Production

All,

We appreciated the access to the CGAP Core Cards today. I also appreciated that you reserved time for us to further review on the afternoon of Wednesday, February 14. Fortunately, we were able to complete our review of the most important core cards today, and will not need to conduct a review on Wednesday. We would ask that you retain all the materials.

I wanted to include Pete, Kim, (b)(6);(b)(7)(C) and (b)(6);(b)(7)(C) on this email because last week we prioritized four requests to DHS; three of them are existing requests to CBP but are still outstanding.

(b) (5)

Thanks,

(b) (6)

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Nothing on that yet. I can follow up with (b) (6) once we get a timeline nailed down.

(b)(6); (b)(7)(C)

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Subject: RE: Commissioner McAleenan Call with Senator Heitkamp

Thanks. Do we have any idea what was said at the meeting between the senator and the sheriffs?

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Subject: FW: Commissioner McAleenan Call with Senator Heitkamp

(b)(6); (b)(7)(C)

Flagging the below, for awareness at this point. I am working with (b)(6) and the Senator's office to schedule momentarily. Looking like Wednesday between (b)(6) and (b)(6)

More to come...

(b)(6); (b)(7)(C)

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Subject: Commissioner McAleenan Call with Senator Heitkamp

Hello, could you help me set up a call with Acting Commissioner McAleenan and Senator Heitkamp regarding a meeting / consultation she had with Southwest Border Sheriffs on CBP's Southern Border

Strategy and construction of the wall?

(b) (6)

Scheduling Director and Executive Assistant

Senator Heidi Heitkamp

(b) (6)

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Date: Wed Jan 31 2018 16:27:44 EST
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(b) (6)

We will check and circle back.

Thanks!

Kim

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Subject: Multi-year wall cost assumptions

(b)(6); (b)(7)(C)/Kim (b)(6); (b)(7)(C) [apologize in advance if this question has already been asked]

CBP's FY 2018 request assumes specific types of barrier designs (e.g. bollard fence, levee wall, and concrete). The three bullets below were provided by CBP to describe the type of barrier the FY 2018 estimates assumed for pricing. Can we please receive the same level of detail for the estimates contained in the BSIP for each of FYs 2019-2027? Thanks!

· In RGV CBP has requested funds to support (b)(7)(C) miles of new border wall system, the rough order of magnitude cost estimate for which is \$ (b) (5) per mile. This estimate assumes the use of steel

bollard wall as the primary pedestrian barrier within the larger border wall system.

- Also in RGV, CBP has requested funds to support (b) (7)(E) miles of new levee wall system, the rough order of magnitude cost estimate for which is \$ (b) (5) per mile. This estimate assumes the use of levee wall, a combination of concrete to the height of the existing earthen levee topped with steel bollard to reach a minimum operational height of 18 feet, as the primary pedestrian barrier within the larger levee wall system.

- The FY 2018 request includes 14 miles of replacement secondary wall in the SDC, the rough order of magnitude cost estimate for which is \$ (b) (5) per mile. This estimate assumes the use of concrete wall as the primary pedestrian barrier within the larger border wall system.

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Bcc:

Subject: RE: Wall / Hidalgo mileage

Date: Thu Oct 11 2018 21:41:05 EDT

Attachments: CBP Wall Program Update for HAC SAC 061318 FINAL pptx.pdf

Good Evening (b) (6),

CBP remains in the procurement process for the levee wall miles. Consistent with the per mile estimates shared during the June 14 briefing (attached here), (b) (5). More information will be available after the conclusion of procurement activities later this month.

The geographic scope of the RGV-02/RGV-03 waiver covers the approximate 14-mile long levee wall project and does not include the Santa Ana Wildlife Refuge. (b) (5)

Thank you,

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Subject: Wall / Hidalgo mileage

Good day,

I hope you are having a pleasant day. (b) (5)
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(b) (5)
Please let us know.

Thanks,
(b) (6)

From: (b)(6);(b)(7)(C)
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Cc: (b)(6);(b)(7)(C)
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Subject: RE: Border Barrier Measurables - fill-in the blanks
Date: Thu Oct 11 2018 13:39:02 EDT
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Fixed the MVSS typo below. Apologies.

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Subject: RE: Border Barrier Measurables - fill-in the blanks

Hi (b) (6)

Below please find the CBPOS , MVSS and RVSS filled in below.

Thanks,

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Subject: RE: Border Barrier Measurables - fill-in the blanks

Good Morning (b) (6)

Below is what we have been able to pull together thus far. I am waiting on a few of the highlighted/bold items for Question 8 on CBPOs, Aerostats, and MVSS/RVSS and will share as soon as we have that information. Attached please also find the sample ROE-S you had also requested.

Staff Question 1: As of January of 2017, there was 654 miles of border fencing on the 2,000 mile SW border.

Response: As of January of 2017, there was 654 miles of primary border barrier on the 1,954 mile SW border.

Staff Question 2: As of September of 2018, there are xxx miles of fencing. (Completed miles. Not including replacement fencing as new miles)

Response: As of September of 2018, there are 654 miles of primary pedestrian fencing. While CBP has completed approximately 28 miles of replacement wall appropriated for in FY17, as replacement these miles do not impact the total mileage.

Staff Question 3: As of September of 2018, xx miles of fencing have been repaired (completed) and xx miles of new fencing has been built.

Response: As of September of 2018, approximately 28 miles of border wall replacement funded in FY 2017 has been completed. Substantial planning, design and procurement activities are underway to support construction of the border wall projects funded in FY 2018. (b) (5)

Staff Question 4: Of the xx miles that have been built with FY17/18 funding, how many miles are based on current design and how many are (b) (7)(E) walls?

Response: Per the response provided on September 7, 2018 regarding wall designs (included below), all of the mileage built using FY 2017 funds and planned for using FY 2018 funds are based on existing design.

As of May 5, 2017, the date of enactment of the Consolidated Appropriations Act, 2017, CBP had deployed numerous border barrier designs, including steel bollard, levee wall, and wire mesh. These standard designs are complemented and enhanced by the addition of different design features such as height, materials used to fill the bollards, and anti-climb features, such as concertina wire and the steel anti-climb plates.

Staff Question 5: Based on FY 2017 and FY 2018 funding, xxx miles of additional fencing will be replaced and xxx miles of new fencing will be built.

Response: The FY 2017 enacted budget included funding for 40 miles of replacement barrier. (b) (5)

[REDACTED]

Staff Question 6: Of the xx miles that are funded but not yet built, how many miles will be current/existing design and how many miles will be (b) (7)(E) walls?

Response: All of the miles will utilize the current designs. Please see below September 7 response regarding Sec 230(b) and wall designs below.

Staff Question 7: In FY18, the level of apprehensions on the SW border was xxx,xxx, compared to xxx,xxx in FY 01 and xxx,xxx in FY 13.

Response: There were 1,235,718 USBP Apprehensions in Southwest Border Sectors in FY 2001 and 414,397 USBP Apprehensions in Southwest Border Sectors in FY 2013.

FY2018 YTD* apprehensions in Southwest Border Sectors was 396,592.

*Please note that USBP is still finalizing end of fiscal year data and so that final total is subject to change pending final totals for FY2018.

Staff Question 8: Currently on the SW border we have:

- How many BP agents?
- How many CBPOs at POEs?
- How many planes?
- How many drones?
- How many aerostats (tethered as well as relocatable)?
- How many MVSS and RVSS?
- How many boats?
- How many National Guard personnel?

Response: Currently on the SW border we have:

- How many BP agents?
 - o There are currently 16,578 Border Patrol Agents assigned to Southwest Border Sectors.
- How many CBPOs at POEs?
 - o There are currently 6,815 CBP Officers assigned to Southwest Border OFO Field Offices (El Paso, Laredo, San Diego and Tucson). Please note this onboard totals includes staffing at some non-border locations within those Field Offices.
- How many planes?
 - o AMO has 107 total aircraft ((b) (7)(E)) deployed to the Southwest Region.
- How many drones?
 - o AMO has (b) (7)(E) UAS stationed at (b) (7)(E) UAS stationed at (b) (7)(E)
- How many aerostats (tethered as well as relocatable)?
 - o Six Tethered Aerostats Radar Systems (TARS) site are located with the Southwest Region.
- How many MVSS and RVSS?

Remote Video Surveillance Systems (RVSS)

o Currently, USBP has (b) (7)(E) deployed along the Southern Border. USBP has (b) (7)(E) towers operational on the Southern Border

o USBP has received funding for and is in the process of deploying an additional (b) (7)(E) along the Southern Border.

Mobile Vide Surveillance Systems (MVSS)

o Currently, USBP has (b) (7)(E) in Southwest Border Sectors.

· How many boats?

o AMO has a total of 19 vessels ((b) (7)(E) lity) deployed to the Southwest Region.

· How many National Guard personnel?

o As of October 8, 2018, 1,556 National Guard personnel are supporting CBP operations along the Southwest Border.

Response provided via email from September 7, 2018 regarding CBP's interpretation of Sec. 320(b) of the FY2018 DHS Appropriations Act:

Below please find responses to your questions regarding Sec 230(b) and wall designs.

1. How does CBP interpret Sec. 230(b) of the FY 2018 DHS Appropriations Act?

· For instance, how does CBP define "operationally effective designs deployed as of the date of the Consolidated Appropriations Act, 2017"?

The interpretation of Section 230(b) is an extremely broad question that must be narrowed in order to provide a thorough response. CBP is specifically concerned with the application of Sec. 230(b) to the use of varying heights, anti-climb and other features. As of May 5, 2017, the date of the Consolidated Appropriations Act, 2017, CBP had deployed numerous border barrier designs, including steel bollard, landing mat, levee wall, and wire mesh. These standard designs are complemented and enhanced by the addition of different design features such as height, materials used to fill the bollards, and anti-climb features, such as concertina wire and the steel anti-climb plates.

Anti-climb Features

CBP constructed steel bollard wall with anti-climb plates as far back as 2008. While the anti-climb feature can manifest in numerous forms, the purpose of all anti-climb design features is to limit the ability to climb, both assisted and unassisted, over the wall. (b) (7)(E), (b) (5)

[REDACTED]

The border wall remains a steel bollard wall with anti-climb features consistent with what has been deployed long before May 5, 2017. (b) (7)(E)

[REDACTED]

Height

Much like the anti-climb features, CBP's view is that the height is a feature of the design. For example, increasing the height of the steel bollards to (b) (7)(E) was not a new design because CBP had deployed a steel bollard wall design on many portions of the southwest border prior to May 5, 2017. The steel bollard design prioritizes agent safety because it allows agents to see through to the other side of the barrier in order to assess potential threats. Thus, the (b) (7)(E) steel bollard wall was found to be consistent with the language of the appropriation.

2. Is there a menu of designs that were deployed as of May 2017 that the agency uses to determine what will be deployed for new or replacement fencing with FY 2018 funds?

Yes, CBP deploys border barrier designs which are determined on a case by case basis through the alternatives analysis (AA) process to tailor the solution(s) to the operational requirement in each unique area. As of May 2017, these designs include the following:

- Bollard-style pedestrian wall with various toppings;
- Steel mesh set in concrete;
- Steel picket-style barrier set in concrete;
- Vehicle barrier "Normandy-style" consisting of steel beams; and
- Vehicle barrier "post-on-rail" also constructed with steel

Thanks,

(b)(6);(b)(7)(C)

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LOWRY, KIM M (b)(6);(b)(7)(C)

Subject: RE: Border Barrier Measurables - fill-in the blanks

Importance: High

Hi guys – checking in for a progress report on filling these blanks (as well as the suggestions you were offering).

Thanks!

From: (b)(6);(b)(7)(C)

Sent: Friday, October 5, 2018 5:21 PM

To: (b) (6) @appro.senate.gov>; (b) (6)
@appro.senate.gov>

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LADOWICZ, JOHN P (b)(6);(b)(7)(C)

LOWRY, KIM M (b)(6);(b)(7)(C)

Subject: RE: Border Barrier Measurables - fill-in the blanks

Hi (b) (6)

We will certainly do our best to get responses on a quick turn but given the level of detail requested and the late hour in the day today, Tuesday COB will be very difficult just in terms of getting responses and getting them cleared. We always push as much as we can, but I wanted to be realistic on our ability to meet that deadline.

Thanks,

(b)(6);(b)(7)(C)

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Cc: (b)(6);(b)(7)(C) (b)(6);(b)(7)(C)

Subject: RE: Border Barrier Measurables - fill-in the blanks

(b)(6);(b)(7)(C) – thanks for sending all the details and updates. Sorry to pile on, but they have resulted in a request for further details (which should be easy to compile). COB Tuesday would be ideal. Thanks (and sorry)

As of January of 2017, there was 654 miles of border fencing on the 2,000 mile SW border.

As of September of 2018, there are xxx miles of fencing. (Completed miles. Not including replacement fencing as new miles)

As of September of 2018, xx miles of fencing have been repaired (completed) and xx miles of new fencing has been built.

Of the xx miles that have been built with FY17/18 funding, how many miles are based on current design and how many are (b) (7)(E) walls?

Based on FY 2017 and FY 2018 funding, xxx miles of additional fencing will be replaced and xxx miles of new fencing will be built.

Of the xx miles that are funded but not yet built, how many miles will be current/existing design and how many miles will be (b)(7)(E) walls?

In FY18, the level of apprehensions on the SW border was xxx,xxx, compared to xxx,xxx in FY 01 and xxx,xxx in FY 13.

Currently on the SW border we have: How many BP agents? How many CBPOs at POEs? How many planes? How many drones? How many aerostats (tethered as well as relocatable)? How many MVSS and RVSS? How many boats? How many National Guard personnel?

From: (b) (6) (Appropriations)
Sent: Friday, October 5, 2018 1:47 PM
To: (b)(6);(b)(7)(C)
Cc: (b) (6) @appro.senate.gov; (b)(6);(b)(7)(C)
(b)(6);(b)(7)(C)
Subject: RE: Border Barrier Measurables

Hey (b)(6);(b)(7)(C) – few follow ups.

1. See highlight below. Missing one ROE explanation?
2. Can you briefly describe the ROE process and timeline from initial approach to land acquisition? That is the question I will get from those who read this update.
3. How many lawsuits have been filed and where?
4. How many lawsuits does CBP anticipate will be filed – rough order of magnitude is fine? And timeline for resolution.

Thanks

From: (b)(6);(b)(7)(C)
Sent: Wednesday, October 3, 2018 4:44 PM
To: (b) (6) @appro.senate.gov
Cc: (b) (6) @appro.senate.gov; (b)(6);(b)(7)(C)

(b)(6);(b)(7)(C)

Subject: RE: Border Barrier Measurables

Hi (b) (6)

Below please find the updated progress on the wall through September 27th, which includes the construction start for the FY18 RGV segments. I'm working to get the table cleared through all the necessary channels but it looks like that won't be possible by COB today. If I continue to work this through the evening, would it be too late if I was able to get you something first thing in the morning?

Thanks,

(b)(6);(b)(7)(C)

FY 2017 Wall Program

- El Centro Pedestrian Fence Replacement Project (2.25 Miles):
 - o A total of ~2.2 miles has been constructed as of September 27.
 - o Construction remains on schedule for completion (b) (5)
- El Paso Vehicle Fence Replacement Project (20 Miles):
 - o The ~20 miles of border wall construction portion of this project is complete. The contractor continues to work on the patrol road and cable installation.
 - o Construction remains on schedule for completion (b) (5)
- El Paso Pedestrian Fence Replacement Project (4 Miles):
 - o Construction started on this project on September 22, as planned.
 - o Construction is on track to complete (b) (5)
- San Diego Primary Replacement Project (14 Miles):
 - o A total of ~5.7 miles has been constructed as of September 27.
 - o Construction is on schedule for completion (b) (5)

FY 2018 Wall Program

- Rio Grande Valley Levee Wall - 25 miles in Hidalgo County (RGV-02 ~8 miles; RGV-03 ~6 miles; RGV-04 ~11 miles)
 - o RGV-02 and RGV-03 are on track to award (b) (5). Construction is estimated to start (b) (5)

- o Landowner engagement is on-going to obtain Rights of Entry for Survey (ROE-S) from landowners.
- § RGV-02 requires 26 ROE-S
- o As of September 27, 25 have been signed.
- § 1 unknown tract is slated for a Declaration of Taking (DT) package filing.
- § RGV-03 requires 21 ROE-S
- o As of September 27, 19 have been signed.
- § 1 DT letter has been sent to a nonresponsive landowner.
- § RGV-04 requires 64 ROE-S
- o As of September 27, 50 have been signed.
- § 3 DT packages are slated to be filed.
- § 11 DT letters have been sent to nonresponsive and refused landowners
- New Border Wall System in RGV Sector (Rio Grande City Station AOR (~8 miles in Starr County)):
 - o Project remains on track to award in (b) (5) with construction estimated to start in (b) (5).
 - o Landowner engagement is on-going to obtain Rights of Entry for Survey (ROE-S) from landowners.
- § RGV-06 requires 131 ROE-S
- o As of September 27, 99 ROE-S have been signed.
- § 14 DT letters have been sent to nonresponsive and refused landowners.
- § (b) (5)
- § The remaining landowners are unknown, have bad addresses or inaccurate contact information, and/or potentially owned by a Federal agency. USACE is continuing to research these cases.
- San Diego Secondary Fence Replacement (14 miles):
 - o The RFP advertised on September 7. Anticipated construction start in (b) (5) with construction completion estimated for (b) (5)
- Primary Pedestrian Replacement Wall (~48 miles):
 - o Construct ~11 miles new border wall in El Centro Sector
 - o Construct ~28 miles new border wall in Yuma Sector
 - o Construct ~3 miles new border wall in San Diego Sector
 - o Construct ~5 miles new border wall in Tucson Sector

- o Two Contract Approach
- o All Arizona Projects
- § Contract award anticipated for (b) (5)
- § Construction start anticipated for (b) (5)
- § Construction completion anticipated for (b) (5)
- o All California Projects
- § Contract award anticipated for late- (b) (5)
- § Construction start anticipated for (b) (5)
- § Construction completion anticipate for (b) (5)

From: (b) (6) @appro.senate.gov>

Sent: Wednesday, October 3, 2018 1:05 PM

To: (b)(6);(b)(7)(C)

Cc: (b) (6) @appro.senate.gov>; (b)(6);(b)(7)(C)

(b)(6);(b)(7)(C)

Subject: RE: Border Barrier Measurables

Hi (b)(6);(b)(7)(C)

Just checking in on timing. COB today still doable?

Thanks

From: (b)(6);(b)(7)(C)

Sent: Monday, October 1, 2018 1:10 PM

To: (b) (6) @appro.senate.gov>

Cc: (b) (6) @appro.senate.gov>; (b)(6);(b)(7)(C)

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Subject: RE: Border Barrier Measurables

Hi (b) (6),

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Thanks,

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Thanks so much.

(b) (6)

From: (b)(6);(b)(7)(C)
Sent: Monday, August 20, 2018 4:29 PM
To: (b) (6) @appro.senate.gov>; (b) (6) @appro.senate.gov>; (b) (6) @appro.senate.gov>;
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Cc: LOWRY, KIM M (b)(6);(b)(7)(C) (b)(6);(b)(7)(C)
Subject: Border Wall Program Progress Update - August

Good Afternoon All,

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FY 2018 Wall Program

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§ Construction completion anticipate for (b) (5)

Please let me know if you have any questions.

Thank you,

(b)(6);(b)(7)(C)

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Thank you,

[REDACTED] (b)(6);(b)(7)(C)

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Office of Congressional Affairs

(b)(6);(b)(7)(C)

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(b)(6);(b)(7)(C)
Blume, Allen (b)(6)
LOWRY, KIM M (b)(6);(b)(7)(C)
Bcc:
Subject: RE: Send data from MFP11303228 09/24/2018 16:20
Date: Wed Oct 10 2018 18:06:54 EDT
Attachments: HAC HS STAFFDEL (OCT 15-19 2018) (Draft V4.1 HAC).docx
HAC HS STAFFDEL (OCT 15-19 2018) (Draft V4.2HAC).docx

(b)(6)

There have unfortunately been a few scheduling conflicts that have arisen and I had to revise the itinerary a little bit. There are two options I have attached and outlined below.

Option 1- I spoke with AMO today and they unfortunately will not be able to do a boat tour on Thursday afternoon. Their only availability is Wednesday morning for a boat tour and pursuit demo. This would change the schedule to have San Ysidro, Brown Field, and the Tunnel tour moved to Thursday. I have attached that updated version as V4.1 here.

Option 2- I also made a different version that is similar to what I had sent you previously where we keep AMO on Thursday afternoon, but it would be an AMO branch tour of the aircraft and the vessels. However, due to scheduling conflicts with OFO, I moved Otay Mesa with San Ysidro Wed. morning, and Brown Field and the Tunnel tour to Thursday morning. I have attached this updated version as V4.2 here.

Please let me know which version you prefer and I will inform the field.

Thank you!

(b)(6);(b)(7)(C)

From: (b) (6) @mail.house.gov>
Sent: Friday, October 5, 2018 9:56 PM
To: (b)(6);(b)(7)(C)
Cc: (b) (6) @mail.house.gov>; LADOWICZ, JOHN P (b)(6);(b)(7)(C)
(b)(6);(b)(7)(C) Blume, Allen (b) (6)
Subject: Re: Send data from MFP11303228 09/24/2018 16:20

Hi. I am sorry that I am just replying now. I was on the road today. (b) (6) and I both think this looks great. Thank you. (b) (6)

On Oct 4, 2018, at 6:21 PM, (b)(6);(b)(7)(C) wrote:
(b) (6),

Here is an updated draft itinerary that is still being worked with the field. We are still tweaking Wednesday and Thursday so that we can make sure this will work out so that we can get your top priorities taken care of while (b) (6) is with the group. Please let me know your thoughts on this draft.

Thanks!

(b)(6);(b)(7)(C)

From: (b)(6);(b)(7)(C)
Sent: Thursday, October 4, 2018 12:55 PM
To: (b) (6) @mail.house.gov>
Cc: (b) (6) @mail.house.gov>; LADOWICZ, JOHN P (b)(6);(b)(7)(C)
(b)(6);(b)(7)(C) Blume, Allen (b) (6)
Subject: RE: Send data from MFP11303228 09/24/2018 16:20

(b) (6)

Thank you for sending! This is extremely helpful. Will get you an update later this afternoon.

Thanks!

(b)(6);(b)(7)(C)

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Sent: Thursday, October 4, 2018 12:52 PM

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Subject: RE: Send data from MFP11303228 09/24/2018 16:20

Hi, Just talked to (b) (6). Our top priorities for while we have (b) (6) with us (Tuesday and Wednesday) are Calexico and the prototypes.

Our top priorities are:

1. The Prototypes
2. Calexico
3. Asylum processing and San Ysidro
4. Anduril
5. Tunnel

One those have been fit into the Tues-Thursday time frame if there is still time for:

6. Brown Field
7. Otay
8. AMO
9. HIS

Would rather do a few things well than race through a bunch.

Thank you (b) (6)

From (b)(6);(b)(7)(C)

Sent: Thursday, October 04, 2018 11:21 AM

To: (b) (6) @mail.house.gov>
Cc: (b) (6) @mail.house.gov>; LADOWICZ, JOHN P (b)(6);(b)(7)(C)
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(b) (6) Absolutely. After the call this afternoon I will send over both updated itineraries to review.

From: (b) (6) @mail.house.gov>
Sent: Thursday, October 4, 2018 11:19 AM
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Could we get an itinerary where both activities were included and one for anduril?

On Oct 4, 2018, at 11:15 AM, (b)(6);(b)(7)(C) wrote:

(b) (6) Thanks for the info. I wanted to double check because that would be the full day, and if we remove it then we should be able to add some other things and not rush in other areas. I will clarify the Anduril Pilot location because I know that is something of interest, but it is closer than Calxico. I should have a better idea of the updated itinerary this afternoon after I hold a call with the field.

I have also attached yours and (b) (6) flight itinerary. Below are the hotel confirmation numbers. One and Two are for (b) (6) and (b) (6).

Marriott Gaslamp Quarter

(b) (6)

Once you send over the flight info for (b) (6) and (b) (6) we will reserve their flights.

Please let me know if you have any questions.

Thank you!

(b) (6)

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Calexico has relatively new facilities, I believe, so the thought was to get a look at them. I don't know that I think it is essential that we go given the travel time.

On Oct 3, 2018, at 4:30 PM, (b)(6);(b)(7)(C) wrote:

(b)(6);(b)(7)(C) is finalizing the flights and hotel arrangements now, and we will send you over those confirmations as soon as they are confirmed in our system. We will have yours and (b) (6) confirmed today, but will wait on the info for (b) (6) and (b) (6) to book their flights.

I have been reworking the itinerary per your conversation with (b)(6);(b)(7)(C) yesterday, as well as input from the field.

I wanted to note that the Calexico and Anduril visit will actually end up being a full day, as Calexico is a little over a 2 hour drive from San Diego, which would create about a 4 hour round trip. The Anduril pilot is in between San Diego and Calexico, so you would be able to see that on the way. What is it that you are looking to visit in Calexico? There are two POEs, East and West, and a BP station, so I wanted to check with what your priorities are when visiting so that I can inform the field.

From: (b) (6) @mail.house.gov>
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Thank you, I have sent a note to (b) (6) to get this information. How is flight and hotel arrangements going?

From: (b)(6);(b)(7)(C)

Sent: Wednesday, October 03, 2018 4:11 PM

To: (b) (6) @mail.house.gov>; (b) (6) @mail.house.gov>; LADOWICZ, JOHN P (b)(6);(b)(7)(C)
Cc: (b)(6);(b)(7)(C)
Subject: RE: Send data from MFP11303228 09/24/2018 16:20

(b) (6) We do not have (b) (6) in our system, to start that process we would need full name, social, and date of birth.

Thanks!

(b)(6);(b)(7)(C)

From: (b) (6) @mail.house.gov>

Sent: Wednesday, October 3, 2018 10:59 AM

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I have asked (b) (6) for it. Can you also let me know if (b) (6) is in your system or what I need to do to start that process

From: (b)(6);(b)(7)(C)

Sent: Wednesday, October 03, 2018 10:53 AM

To: (b) (6) @mail.house.gov>; (b) (6) @mail.house.gov>; LADOWICZ, JOHN P (b)(6);(b)(7)(C)
Cc: (b)(6);(b)(7)(C) Blume, Allen (b) (6)
Subject: RE: Send data from MFP11303228 09/24/2018 16:20

(b) (6) Thank you for that info, I will make sure that she has a flight on the 18th. Is there a specific airline that she should be on, and a travel # to add? Do you have a Delta # that you would also like to include?

(b) (6) We have your # in the system for the flights, but could you also provide (b) (6) Delta #?

We are hoping to book the hotel today, and I will send over the confirmation numbers when that is finalized.

Please let me know if you have any questions.

Thanks!

(b)(6);(b)(7)(C)

From: (b) (6) @mail.house.gov>

Sent: Wednesday, October 3, 2018 10:05 AM

To: (b) (6) @mail.house.gov>;

LADOWICZ, JOHN P (b)(6);(b)(7)(C)

Cc: (b)(6);(b)(7)(C) Blume, Allen (b) (6)

Subject: RE: Send data from MFP11303228 09/24/2018 16:20

(b)(6);(b)(7)(C) - (b) (6) will need to return to DCA by 5:00 on the 18th.

Do you already have info for her in CBP's travel system? If not, let me know what I should provide.

(b)(6);(b)(7)(C)

From: (b)(6);(b)(7)(C)

Sent: Tuesday, October 02, 2018 4:45 PM

To: (b)(6);(b)(7)(C) LADOWICZ, JOHN P (b)(6);(b)(7)(C)

Cc: (b) (6) @mail.house.gov>; (b)(6);(b)(7)(C)

'Blume, Allen' (b) (6)

Subject: RE: Send data from MFP11303228 09/24/2018 16:20

Hi, We saw (b)(6);(b)(7)(C) a bit ago and suggested a couple tweaks so he will follow up with you. I would like to alert you to the fact that BOTH the Full Committee Staff Directors (b)(6);(b)(7)(C) will now be joining us on this trip (when we spoke to (b)(6);(b)(7)(C), I only mentioned (b)(6);(b)(7)(C) may need a different flight back (b)(6);(b)(7)(C) will let you know). (b)(6);(b)(7)(C) will return with us. I will send you (b)(6);(b)(7)(C) Delta number and what not shortly. Are we all set at the Marriott Gaslamp? When we are, may I please have those confirmation numbers so that I can call Marriott and add reward numbers there? Thank you, (b) (6)

From: (b)(6);(b)(7)(C)

Sent: Tuesday, October 02, 2018 1:05 PM

To: LADOWICZ, JOHN P (b)(6);(b)(7)(C) (b) (6)

@mail.house.gov>

Cc: (b) (6) @mail.house.gov>; (b)(6);(b)(7)(C)

Subject: RE: Send data from MFP11303228 09/24/2018 16:20

Hi (b) (6)

I have attached a very rough draft of the itinerary that we are still working on. These were our thoughts, but the details are still being nailed down by the different components. We have 2 full days of CBP and one of all ICE which I am working with them on getting details. If you would rather do a mix with CBP/ICE on that last day please let me know. If there is not something on there that you are looking to see, or if there is something on there that you would like taken off please also let me know.

(b)(6);(b)(7)(C) is working on the flights and has your Delta number. We are hoping to have those squared away by tomorrow.

Please let me know if you have any questions.

Thank you!

(b)(6);(b)(7)(C)

From: LADOWICZ, JOHN P

Sent: Tuesday, October 2, 2018 12:56 PM

To: (b) (6) @mail.house.gov>

Cc: (b)(6);(b)(7)(C) (b) (6) @mail.house.gov>; (b)(6);(b)(7)(C)

Subject: RE: Send data from MFP11303228 09/24/2018 16:20

Looping in (b)(6);(b)(7)(C) who is handling flights.

Pete Ladowicz

Assistant Commissioner

Office of Congressional Affairs

U.S. Customs and Border Protection

(b)(6);(b)(7)(C) (phone)

(b)(6);(b)(7)(C)mobile)

From: (b) (6) @mail.house.gov>
Sent: Tuesday, October 2, 2018 12:55 PM
To: LADOWICZ, JOHN P (b)(6);(b)(7)(C)
Cc: (b)(6);(b)(7)(C) (b) (6) @mail.house.gov>
Subject: RE: Send data from MFP11303228 09/24/2018 16:20

Thanks – would like me Delta number included so that I can use pre-check – let me know if you need me to re-send

From: LADOWICZ, JOHN P [mailto:(b)(6);(b)(7)(C)]
Sent: Tuesday, October 02, 2018 12:38 PM
To: (b) (6) @mail.house.gov>
Cc: (b)(6);(b)(7)(C) (b) (6) @mail.house.gov>
Subject: RE: Send data from MFP11303228 09/24/2018 16:20

(b) (6)

(b)(6);(b)(7)(C) should be sending you the preliminary itinerary within the hour. Flights are being booked now and we'll get those to you by COB.

Best, Pete

Pete Ladowicz

Assistant Commissioner

Office of Congressional Affairs

U.S. Customs and Border Protection

(b)(6);(b)(7)(C)(phone)
(mobile)

From: (b) (6) @mail.house.gov>
Sent: Tuesday, October 2, 2018 12:30 PM

To: LADOWICZ, JOHN P (b)(6);(b)(7)(C)
Cc: (b)(6);(b)(7)(C) (b) (6) @mail.
house.gov>
Subject: RE: Send data from MFP11303228 09/24/2018 16:20

Hi Pete, Just wanted to check back in on the itinerary. Could I please get a draft ? Thanks, (b) (6)

From: LADOWICZ, JOHN P [mailto:(b)(6);(b)(7)(C)]
Sent: Monday, October 01, 2018 12:34 PM
To: (b) (6) @mail.house.gov>
Cc: (b)(6);(b)(7)(C) (b) (6) @mail.
house.gov>
Subject: RE: Send data from MFP11303228 09/24/2018 16:20

(b) (6)

Thanks for reaching out. Will get you something first thing Tuesday.

Best, Pete

Pete Ladowicz

Assistant Commissioner

Office of Congressional Affairs

U.S. Customs and Border Protection

(b)(6);(b)(7)(C) (phone)

(b)(6);(b)(7)(C) (mobile)

From: (b) (6) @mail.house.gov>
Sent: Monday, October 1, 2018 12:06 PM
To: LADOWICZ, JOHN P (b)(6);(b)(7)(C)
Cc: (b)(6);(b)(7)(C) (b) (6) @mail.
house.gov>
Subject: Re: Send data from MFP11303228 09/24/2018 16:20

Hi. Just wanted to check in on the status of the flights and when we will be able to see a first draft if the

itinerary? Thanks. (b) (6)

On Sep 25, 2018, at 10:55 AM, LADOWICZ, JOHN P (b)(6);(b)(7)(C) > wrote:
(b) (6)

Sounds good. Moving forward.

Best, Pete

Pete Ladowicz

Assistant Commissioner

Office of Congressional Affairs

U.S. Customs and Border Protection

(b)(6);(b)(7)(C) (phone)

(b)(6);(b)(7)(C) (mobile)

From: (b) (6) @mail.house.gov>

Sent: Tuesday, September 25, 2018 10:53 AM

To: LADOWICZ, JOHN P <(b)(6);(b)(7)(C)>

Cc: (b)(6);(b)(7)(C)

Subject: RE: Send data from MFP11303228 09/24/2018 16:20

All, I won't be able to get a corrected letter to you for a couple days (one of my co-workers is out for a funeral). Could you please move forward with the current letter for whatever you need to do flights and hotel wise and I will get you a corrected letter as soon as I can? Thanks, (b) (6)

From: (b) (6)

Sent: Monday, September 24, 2018 8:11 PM

To: LADOWICZ, JOHN P (b)(6);(b)(7)(C)

Subject: Re: Send data from MFP11303228 09/24/2018 16:20

Yes

On Sep 24, 2018, at 7:24 PM, LADOWICZ, JOHN P (b)(6);(b)(7)(C) wrote:

Sounds good. Thanks. Also, want to verify that you and (b) (6) will be the attendees, correct?

Sent from my iPhone

On Sep 24, 2018, at 5:57 PM, (b) (6) @mail.house.gov> wrote:

Pete - we will prepare a new letter tomorrow with the correct greeting. Sorry about that. (b) (6)

On Sep 24, 2018, at 5:32 PM, (b) (6) @mail.house.gov> wrote:

Begin forwarded message:

From: (b) (6) @mail.house.gov>

Date: September 24, 2018 at 5:29:11 PM EDT

To: (b) (6) @mail.house.gov>, (b) (6) @mail.house.gov>

Cc: (b) (6) @mail.house.gov>

Subject: FW: Send data from MFP11303228 09/24/2018 16:20

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From: FLANAGAN, PATRICK S (b)(6);(b)(7)(C)
[REDACTED]
To: MCALEENAN, KEVIN K (b)(6);(b)(7)(C)
[REDACTED]
Cc:
Bcc:
Subject: FW: McCarthy
Date: Wed Oct 10 2018 12:40:57 EDT
Attachments: Build the Wall, Enforce the Law Act Section by Section.docx

V/R
Patrick

Patrick Flanagan
(b)(6);(b)(7)(C)

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From: (b)(6);(b)(7)(C)
Sent: Wednesday, October 10, 2018 6:57 AM
To: FLANAGAN, PATRICK S (b)(6);(b)(7)(C)
Subject: McCarthy

For you and the boss. Close hold, this is not public until he releases Friday (attached). Will certainly affect Dec 7th...

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(b)(6);(b)(7)(C)
United States Border Patrol
(b)(6);(b)(7)(C) Office)
(b)(6);(b)(7)(C) iPhone)
(b)(6);(b)(7)(C)

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(b)(6);(b)(7)(C)

United States Border Patrol

(b)(6);(b)(7)(C) (Office)

(iPhone)

(b)(6);(b)(7)(C)

From: LOWRY, KIM M (b)(6);(b)(7)(C)

To: (b) (6)
appro.senate.gov>

Cc: (b)(6);(b)(7)(C)

(b) (6)
@appro.senate.gov>

Bcc:

Subject: Re: Rep McCarthy border wall bill

Date: Wed Oct 10 2018 09:24:10 EDT

Attachments:

(b) (6)

I am not really sure. Will check to see.

Kim

On Oct 10, 2018, at 9:04 AM, (b) (6) @appro.senate.gov> wrote:

(b) (5)

<https://www.breitbart.com/big-government/2018/10/09/kevin-mccarthy-introducing-bill-fully-fund-border-wall-midterm-immigration-referendum/>

From: (b)(6);(b)(7)(C)
To: (b) (6)
Cc: (b) (6)
Bcc: (b) (6)
Subject: RE: Rep McCarthy border wall bill
Date: Wed Oct 10 2018 09:15:25 EDT
Attachments:

Good Morning (b) (6),

(b) (5)

Thanks,

(b)(6);(b)(7)(C)

From: (b) (6) @appro.senate.gov>
Sent: Wednesday, October 10, 2018 9:04 AM
To: (b)(6);(b)(7)(C) LOWRY, KIM M (b)(6);(b)(7)(C)
Cc: (b) (6) @appro.senate.gov>
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(b) (5)

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From: LOWRY, KIM M (b)(6);(b)(7)(C)

To: LOWRY, KIM M (b)(6);(b)(7)(C)

Cc:

Bcc:

Subject: FW: Wall Program Update

Date: Tue Oct 09 2018 17:11:48 EDT

Attachments:

From: (b)(6);(b)(7)(C)

Sent: Tuesday, October 9, 2018 2:34 PM

To: (b)(6) @appro.senate.gov>; (b)(6) n@appro.senate.gov;
(b)(6) mail.house.gov>; (b)(6) @mail.house.gov

Cc: LADOWICZ, JOHN P (b)(6);(b)(7)(C)

LOWRY, KIM M (b)(6);(b)(7)(C)

Subject: Wall Program Update

Good Afternoon All,

I understand that in your meeting with AC Ladowicz last week that you requested an update on the status of the wall construction projects to build off of the information provided for August. Below, please find a status update through September 27.

Please let me know if you have any questions.

FY 2017 Wall Program

- El Centro Pedestrian Fence Replacement Project (2.25 Miles):

- o A total of ~2.2 miles has been constructed as of September 27.
- o Construction remains on schedule for completion in (b)(5)

- El Paso Vehicle Fence Replacement Project (20 Miles):

- o The ~20 miles of border wall construction portion of this project is complete. The contractor continues to work on the patrol road and cable installation.

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- El Paso Pedestrian Fence Replacement Project (4 Miles):

- o Construction started on this project on September 22, as planned.

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- San Diego Primary Replacement Project (14 Miles):

- o A total of ~5.7 miles has been constructed as of September 27.

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FY 2018 Wall Program

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- o RGV-02 and RGV-03 are on track to award in late-October/early-November. Construction is estimated to start in (b) (5)

- o Landowner engagement is on-going to obtain Rights of Entry for Survey (ROE-S) from landowners.

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- o As of September 27, 25 have been signed.

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- o As of September 27, 19 have been signed.

§ 1 DT letter has been sent to a nonresponsive landowner.

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- o As of September 27, 50 have been signed.

§ 3 DT packages are slated to be filed.

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- New Border Wall System in RGV Sector (Rio Grande City Station AOR (~8 miles in Starr County)):

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§ RGV-06 requires 131 ROE-S

- o As of September 27, 99 ROE-S have been signed.

§ 14 DT letters have been sent to nonresponsive and refused landowners.

§ Approximately 12 landowners are either in active discussions or are part of prior litigation from Pedestrian Fence (PF) 225 construction which is being coordinated with DOJ.

§ The remaining landowners are unknown, have bad addresses or inaccurate contact information, and/or potentially owned by a Federal agency. USACE is continuing to research these cases.

· San Diego Secondary Fence Replacement (14 miles):

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(b)(6);(b)(7)(C)

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@appro.senate.gov>
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LADOWICZ, JOHN P (b)(6);(b)(7)(C)
LOWRY, KIM M (b)(6);(b)(7)(C)
Bcc:
Subject: Re: Border Barrier Measurables - fill-in the blanks
Date: Fri Oct 05 2018 20:52:12 EDT
Attachments:

Totally forgot about the holiday. Wednesday is totally fine.

Sent from my iPhone

On Oct 5, 2018, at 5:21 PM, (b)(6);(b)(7)(C) wrote:

Hi (b) (6)

We will certainly do our best to get responses on a quick turn but given the level of detail requested and the late hour in the day today, Tuesday COB will be very difficult just in terms of getting responses and getting them cleared. We always push as much as we can, but I wanted to be realistic on our ability to meet that deadline.

Thanks,

(b)(6);(b)(7)(C)

From: [REDACTED] (b) (6) @appro.senate.gov>
Sent: Friday, October 5, 2018 4:11 PM
To: [REDACTED] (b) (6) @appro.senate.gov>; [REDACTED] (b)(6);(b)(7)(C)
Cc: [REDACTED] (b)(6);(b)(7)(C) [REDACTED] (b)(6);(b)(7)(C)
Subject: RE: Border Barrier Measurables - fill-in the blanks

[REDACTED] (b)(6);(b)(7)(C) – thanks for sending all the details and updates. Sorry to pile on, but they have resulted in a request for further details (which should be easy to compile). COB Tuesday would be ideal. Thanks (and sorry)

As of January of 2017, there was 654 miles of border fencing on the 2,000 mile SW border.

As of September of 2018, there are xxx miles of fencing. (Completed miles. Not including replacement fencing as new miles)

As of September of 2018, xx miles of fencing have been repaired (completed) and xx miles of new fencing has been built.

Of the xx miles that have been built with FY17/18 funding, how many miles are based on current design and how many are [REDACTED] (b)(7)(E) walls?

Based on FY 2017 and FY 2018 funding, xxx miles of additional fencing will be replaced and xxx miles of new fencing will be built.

Of the xx miles that are funded but not yet built, how many miles will be current/existing design and how many miles will be [REDACTED] (b)(7)(E) walls?

In FY18, the level of apprehensions on the SW border was xxx,xxx, compared to xxx,xxx in FY 01 and xxx,xxx in FY 13.

Currently on the SW border we have: How many BP agents? How many CBPOs at POEs? How many planes? How many drones? How many aerostats (tethered as well as relocatable)? How many MVSS

and RVSS? How many boats? How many National Guard personnel?

From: Nance, Scott (Appropriations)

Sent: Friday, October 5, 2018 1:47 PM

To: (b)(6);(b)(7)(C)

Cc: (b)(6) @appro.senate.gov>; (b)(6);(b)(7)(C)
(b)(6);(b)(7)(C)

Subject: RE: Border Barrier Measurables

Hey (b)(6);(b)(7)(C) – few follow ups.

1. See highlight below. Missing one ROE explanation?
2. Can you briefly describe the ROE process and timeline from initial approach to land acquisition? That is the question I will get from those who read this update.
3. How many lawsuits have been filed and where?
4. How many lawsuits does CBP anticipate will be filed – rough order of magnitude is fine? And timeline for resolution.

Thanks

From: (b)(6);(b)(7)(C)

Sent: Wednesday, October 3, 2018 4:44 PM

To: (b)(6) @appro.senate.gov>

(b)(6) @appro.senate.gov>; (b)(6);(b)(7)(C)
(b)(6);(b)(7)(C)

Subject: RE: Border Barrier Measurables

Hi (b)(6),

Below please find the updated progress on the wall through September 27th, which includes the construction start for the FY18 RGV segments. I'm working to get the table cleared through all the necessary channels but it looks like that won't be possible by COB today. If I continue to work this through the evening, would it be too late if I was able to get you something first thing in the morning?

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Hi (b)(6);(b)(7)(C)

Just checking in on timing. COB today still doable?

Thanks

From: (b)(6);(b)(7)(C)
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Confirming receipt and we'll get folks working on this. I think we should be able to provide most of this on a quick turn and don't anticipate the deadline being a problem, but I will let you know if we anticipate needing additional time.

Thanks,

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From: (b) (6) @appro.senate.gov>
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Cc: (b) (6) @appro.senate.gov>
Subject: Border Barrier Measurables

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By Wednesday COB, (b) (6) and I would like to get an update to the information you provided below in the August 20, 2018 email? Also, if there is an estimated construction start timeline for the RGV segments funded in FY18, please include in your update. Also for Wednesday COB, I'm hoping you can fill in the blanks on the attached one-pager (and verify the other information as being accurate). We have been tasked for an update from our front office, so please let me know if Wednesday COB is unreasonable.

Thanks so much.

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Cc: LOWRY, KIM M (b)(6);(b)(7)(C) (b)(6);(b)(7)(C)
Subject: Border Wall Program Progress Update - August

Good Afternoon All,

During the our last border wall briefing with Chief (b)(6);(b)(7)(C) and (b)(6);(b)(7)(C) we had promised to provide updated information on the FY 2017 wall program and FY2018 wall program for August. Below please find the August update with information through August 15.

FY 2017 Wall Program

- El Centro Pedestrian Fence Replacement Project (2.25 Miles):
 - o A total of ~2.2 miles has been constructed as of August 15

- o Construction is still on schedule for completion (b) (5)

- El Paso Vehicle Fence Replacement Project (20 Miles):

- o A total of ~12.8 miles has been constructed as of (b) (5)

- o Construction is on schedule for completion in (b) (5)

- El Paso Pedestrian Fence Replacement Project (4 Miles):

- o Construction has not yet started on this project but is expected to begin (b) (5)

- San Diego Primary Replacement Project (14 Miles):

- o A total of ~4.1 miles has been constructed as of August 15

- o Construction is on schedule for completion in (b) (5)

FY 2018 Wall Program

- Rio Grande Valley Levee Wall - 25 miles in Hidalgo County

- RGV-02 ~ 8 miles

- RGV-03 ~ 6 miles

- RGV-04 ~ 11 miles

- o Landowner engagement is on-going to obtain Rights of Entry for Survey (ROE-S) from landowners.

§ RGV-02 requires 25 ROE-S

- o As of Aug 15, 24 have been signed (1 Declaration of Taking (DT) was filed in Federal court and the landowner signed the ROE-S. The case will be dismissed.)

§ 1 DT letter remains out to a nonresponsive landowner

§ RGV-03 requires 22 ROE-S

- o As of Aug 15, 19 have been signed

§ 2 DT letters have been sent to nonresponsive and refused landowners

§ 1 landowner remains in negotiation

§ RGV-04 requires 63 ROE-S

- o As of Aug 15, 47 have been signed.

§ 15 DT letters have been sent to nonresponsive and refused landowners

§ (b) (5)

- New Border Wall System in RGV Sector (Rio Grande City Station AOR (~8 miles in Starr County)):

- o 125 ROE-S letters have been sent to known landowners as of August 15. 82 ROE-S have been signed.

- o 7 DT letters have been sent to nonresponsive and refused landowners

- o [REDACTED] (b) (5)

- San Diego Secondary Fence Replacement (14 miles):

- o Anticipated construction start in [REDACTED] (b) (5) with construction completion estimated for [REDACTED] (b) (5)

- Primary Pedestrian Replacement Wall (48 miles):

- o Construct ~11 miles new border wall in El Centro Sector

- o Construct ~28 miles new border wall in Yuma Sector

- o Construct ~3 miles new border wall in San Diego Sector

- o Construct ~5 miles new border wall in Tucson Sector

- o Two Contract Approach

- o All Arizona Projects

- § Contract award anticipated for [REDACTED] (b) (5)

- § Construction start anticipated for [REDACTED] (b) (5)

- § Construction completion anticipated for [REDACTED] (b) (5)

- o All California Projects

- § Contract award anticipated for [REDACTED] (b) (5)

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Please let me know if you have any questions.

Thank you,

[REDACTED] (b)(6);(b)(7)(C)

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